## THPRD ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Thanks to the generosity of the Tualatin Hills Park Foundation (THPF), we are pleased to offer natural resource field trip programs and transportation scholarships to connect students to Tualatin Hills Park and Recreation District (THPRD) natural areas. The scholarship funds enable THPRD to offer free or reduced price environmental education programs for eligible classrooms. The purpose of these scholarships is to fund field trips for children that may not otherwise have the opportunity to visit a natural area or participate in an environmental education program due to financial hardship.

#### Eligibility Requirements (for 2015/16 school year)

- Only Beaverton School District (BSD) classrooms may apply for a scholarship.
- Applications for eligible classrooms will be considered and awarded on a first-come, first serve basis. Teachers are encouraged to apply well in advance of planned field trips as funds are limited.
- Participating teachers are required to complete a post field trip evaluation.
- You must secure a field trip date between September 8, 2015 and April 30, 2016 before submitting this application.
- The transportation portion of the scholarship reimburses the transportation expenses as billed by the BSD Transportation Department if you are not within a one-half mile safe walking distance from an accessible, significant natural area or reasonable TriMet connection. Please contact THPRD staff for details. The school is responsible for securing and reserving buses through BSD Transportation for the field trip, as well as submitting the transportation invoice to Tualatin Hills Park Foundation for reimbursement.
- A letter of support from your principal must be included with the completed application form and emailed, faxed, or mailed to:

Attn: Keely Haugen Tualatin Hills Nature Center 15655 SW Millikan Way Beaverton, Oregon 97003 Fax: 503-629-6351 Email: khaugen@thprd.org

THPF and THPRD reserve the right to limit the number of scholarships awarded. A class may receive scholarship funds only once per school year.

Applications will be reviewed regularly and each scholarship applicant will be notified in a timely manner. You will be contacted by mail, email, or fax once the decision is final.

Questions regarding the scholarship should be directed to Keely Haugen at 503-629-6350 or khaugen@thprd.org.



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# **THPRD**<br/>NATURAL<br/>RESOURCESENVIRONMENTAL<br/>EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP<br/>APPLICATION

### **Contact Information**

SCHOOL NAME		DATE
ADDRESS		
Сіту	STATE	ZIP
Phone	FAX	
PRINCIPAL	EMAIL	
PRIMARY CONTACT	EMAIL	

#### **Participating Teachers**

Names	Emails	

#### **Class Information**

STUDENTS RECEIVING FREE OR REDUCED LUNCHES	<ul> <li>Less than 25%</li> <li>51-75%</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>25-50%</li> <li>More than 75%</li> </ul>	
GRADE LEVEL(S)	NUMBER OF CLASSES		
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF STUDENTS	ESTIMATED NUMBER OF ADULTS		
FIELD TRIP DATE			
PROGRAM/ACTIVITY			
PROGRAM LOCATION O Tualatin Hills National Contraction Contractio	ure Park		
O Other park (please specify)			
HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY APPLIED FOR A SCHOLARSHIP THROUGH THPRD? O Yes O No			
HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP?	O www.thprd.org	O THPRD Publication	
	O Email announceme	nt 🔾 Other	
DATE OF LAST THPRD ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION FIELD TRIP			

### **Scholarship Funding Request**

PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIP	100%	Other (specify amount):	
If other than 100%, please identify other funding sources:			
TRANSPORTATION REIMBURSEMENT	100%	Other (specify amount):	
If other than 100%, please identify other funding sources:			

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Date Received		Received by	
Accepted	Waitlist	Letter sent	
Amount Approved			